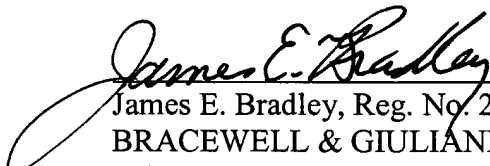


**REMARKS**

Applicant is resubmitting with proper identifiers the claims set forth in the amendment mailed August 24, 2006.

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